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News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers

Coming—"Mysteries of Myra". Adv. Blue Bird Day at the opera house. Adv.

Billie Ritchie—Opera house, today. Adv. Social dance tonight. Golden Cross hall, Theberge's music. Adv.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held this evening at the home of Slocum Baker.

Wm. S. Juckett of North street is spending a few days at his home in Castleton.

Come early if you want seats to see Marie Doro in "Diplomacy" at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

A telephone has been installed in the home of Albert Bishop on River street, number 244-X.

Open trolleys were put on the Hoosick Falls line this morning for the first time this season.

The postponed meeting of the official board of the Methodist church will be held this evening at 7:30.

Dr. A. E. Houle has purchased a new Maxwell touring car of W. M. Marshall of North Bennington.

New wash skirts in Gabardine, Palm Beach, linen, white, linen and striped \$1.00 up at Novack's. Adv.

Miss Ella Murray returned last evening from a few days visit with Miss Mayme Donnelly of Rutland.

Just received a very large shipment of summer dresses, elegant styles, white and colors \$2.98 to \$6.98 at Novack's. Adv.

The local high school baseball team will meet the Burr and Burton team at Morgan Park tomorrow afternoon at 3 p. m. Admission 25c.

"The photography and production of 'Tangled Hearts' are of the Blue Bird standard—excellent."—New York Mail. Opera house, today. Adv.

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Beautiful Louise Lovely in "Tangled Hearts". Here comedy and tragedy are separated by the faintest of boundaries. Opera house, today. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland M. Gilman motored from Westfield, Mass., to Bennington Wednesday and while in town were guests of Mrs. L. H. Godfrey.

The B. H. S. baseball team and the Burr & Burton boys clash in the national game at Morgan Park tomorrow afternoon at 3 p. m. Admission 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle, New York's most popular modern dancers in a six part romance of their own lives at Harte Theatre tomorrow. Adv.

The property of John Nash at the corner of Main and Depot streets is being improved by the construction of new cellar wall and underpinnings on the west end.

Rev. John L. Cole, who is to be the speaker at the meeting of the Methodist Brotherhood next Monday evening is a native of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., where his parents still live.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barratt of Grandview street have returned from an automobile trip to Boston. They have been away since Monday and spent Memorial day in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle in a thrilling romance of their own lives in a wonderful six part photoplay introducing several modern dances at Harte Theatre tomorrow. Adv.

Charles Frohman Co., presents the exquisite Marie Doro in a magnificent picturization of Sardou's international drama "Diplomacy" in five parts at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

A remarkable record for quick selling was established this morning in the Ritchie store when 100 carpet sweepers were sold to Bennington ladies in less than half an hour. Over eighty sweepers were disposed of the first fifteen minutes of the sale which opened promptly at 10 o'clock.

A massive, carved sarcophagus of Barre Granite has recently been placed by James S. Clark on the family lot of Edwin L. White in Grandview cemetery, North Bennington; also a large polished Barre Granite monument of Cottage design on the family lot of James Morrissey in Catholic cemetery there.

It will be appreciated by the officers of the Bennington County Forest, Fish and Game association if those members who are to provide the fish for the trout dinner next Monday evening will leave the fish at the Putnam house. It is especially requested that each fisherman leave a tag with his catch stating the number of pounds it contains and also that the fish be dressed.

Origin of the Hackney. The hackney horse has given quite a number of useful words to the language. He and his name came from Normandy originally—haqueene, really a corruption of the Latin for horse—and he was a riding horse. Being commonly hired out, the name came to be associated with hiring and in course of time also with drudgery. Today there are far more hackney carriages, within the meaning of the act, without horses than with. A literary hack is another form of the same name, and hackneyed is an obvious derivation from a common source. — London Chronicle.

English Injustice. An Australian tourist traveling in the west of Ireland asked an old woman how far it was to the nearest town. She sadly looked at him, then sighed and said:

"It was five nice miles two years ago, but some English brute came over with chains and made it seven, and our hearts are broke walking it ever since. Bad luck to them!"

And she disappeared into the house, leaving him there.—Illustrated Bits.

BURNED AMERICAN FLAG

Consumed in Melting Pot with Emblems of Other Nations.

New York, June 1.—An American flag and the colors of many other nations were burned tonight in a "melting pot," suspended on a tripod in the yard in the rear of the Rev. Bouck White's Church of the Social Revolution. The "ceremony" was conducted by Albert Henkel, introduced as "an artist." After the colors had been destroyed, Henkel unfurled the banner of "international industrialism."

The flag burning was preceded by services in the church at which one of the speakers was the Rev. Mercer Green Johnston, rector of Trinity Protestant Episcopal church at Newark, N. J., who recently resigned because, he said, some of his vestrymen wanted him to run his church "like a grocery store."

Mr. Johnston strongly disapproved of the flag burning part of the program and tried vainly to induce White to prevent it. He then left the church rather than witness what he characterized as "a most damnable business."

After a speaker had declared no moment could be "more auspicious for the merging of all the nations into the international commonwealth," Henrich Weber, who spoke in German, renounced the flag of his fatherland and cast it into the flames, while those who surrounded him chanted:

"If die we must, we'll die for our God. Rise, revolutionists!"

Weber was followed by persons who claimed to be natives of Great Britain, Russia, Japan, Italy, Sweden, Rumania, and Greece. Each cast the colors of their country into the "melting pot." Then came Henkel carrying an American flag.

Residents of nearby buildings who crowded the fire escape to witness the proceedings, hissed as Henkel broke the staff to which the Stars and Stripes were attached and plunged the flag into the fire.

White will be tried in a magistrate's court tomorrow on a charge of desecrating the American flag, by drawing a cartoon in colors which showed the banner of the "revolution" breaking over the colors of the United States and other countries. This cartoon adorned the wall of his church.

The prayers offered at the services tonight called for the "deliverance" of White and compared him to the Christian martyrs of old.

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